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SUBJ: GOP INTEREST IN CULTURAL EXCHANGES DISCUSSION

REF: STATE 234863

1. USIA/IEE DEPUTY ASSISTANT DIRECTOR MALONE AND PAO VISIT TO DIRECTOR CHABASINSKI AT MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS RESULTED IN GENERAL DISCUSSIONS ALONG LINES REQUESTED IN PARA ONE OF REFTEL. CHABASINSKI PRESENTED NO NEW ARGUMENTS. HE REPEATED POLISH VIEWS EXPRESSED IN HIS PREVIOUS MEETINGS WITH PAO (WARSAW 5500), BUT THEN STATED THAT GOP WAS NOT SEEKING A FORMAL EXCHANGES DOCUMENT "AT THIS TIME." HE SAID THE MFA WOULD HOPE TO SEND A DELEGATION OF "TWO OR THREE EXPERTS" TO WASHINGTON "SOMETIME IN JANUARY" TO CONTINUE THE DIALOGUE AND TO SEEK OUR ADVICE ON HOW TO PROMOTE POLISH CULTURAL AND INFORMATIONAL PROGRAMS IN THE UNITED STATES. MALONE SAID THE US SIDE WOULD WELCOME THE DELEGATION TO LISTEN TO THEIR PROPOSALS. CHABASKISKI IMPLIED THE POLISH EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON MAY NOT BE DOING ALL IT CAN ON DEVELOPING POLISH CULTURAL AND INFORMATIONAL PROGRAMS. WE, OF COURSE, CONCURRED IN THIS VIEW.

2. CHABASKISKI CONTINUED OLD ARGUMENTS ABOUT IMBALANCE, PARTICULARLY ON INFORMATION SIDE, DURING LUNCHEON AT DCM RESIDENCE. HIS POINTS WERE REFUTED BY THE AMBASSADOR AND EMBASSY OFFICERS. LETTER FOLLOWS.

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